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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO: I-62-13

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
       ALL CONSORTIA PROJECT MANAGERS
       ALL CALFRESH PROGRAM SPECIALISTS
       ALL DISASTER CALFRESH PROGRAM
        COORDINATORS
       ALL QUALITY CONTROL COORDINATORS

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL

[ ] State Law Change
[X] Federal Law or Regulation
      Change
[ ] Court Order
[ ] Clarification Requested by
      One or More Counties
[ ] Initiated by CDSS

SUBJECT: DISASTER GUIDANCE ATTACHMENT – DISASTER SUPPLEMENTAL
            NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM INCOME ELIGIBILITY
            STANDARDS AND ALLOTMENTS EFFECTIVE **OCTOBER 1, 2013**

This letter is to inform counties that the United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) has issued the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014 Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP) Income Eligibility Standards and Allotments for the following period October 1, 2013 through October 31, 2013. The allotment amounts remain unchanged for FFY 2014.

However, effective October 1, 2013, the D-SNAP net monthly income eligibility levels are increasing for all household sizes. The maximum shelter deduction will increase from $469 to $478, and will apply to *all* households, including those with elderly or disabled members. The standard deduction amount for household sizes one, two, and three will increase from $149 to $152 a month. The computation below shows how FNS computes the Disaster Gross Income limits for a one person household:

Maximum Monthly Net Income Limit for household size of one (100% of FPL)	+ $958
Maximum Standard Income Deduction	+ $152
Maximum Shelter Expense Deduction	+ $478
Disaster Gross Income Limit	= $1588

The Income Eligibility Standards and Allotments are listed in the attachment entitled Disaster Guidance Attachment at the end of this letter.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact your CalFresh county consultant or call the CalFresh Policy Bureau at (916) 654-1896.

Sincerely,

Original Document Signed By:

LINDA PATTERSON, Chief
CalFresh Branch

Attachments

Disaster Guidance Attachment

Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
Income Eligibility Standards and Allotments
October 1, 2013 – October 31, 2013

48 States and DC

Household Size	Disaster Gross Income Limit[1]	Maximum Allotment
1	$1588	$200
2	$1923	$367
3	$2258	$526
4	$2604	$668
5	$2967	$793
6	$3330	$952
7	$3665	$1,052
8	$4000	$1,202
Each Additional Member	+$335	+$150

Alaska

Household Size	Disaster Gross Income Limit[1]	Maximum Allotment		
		Urban	Rural 1	Rural 2
1	$2220	239	304	371
2	$2639	438	559	680
3	$3059	627	800	974
4	$3478	797	1016	1237
5	$3897	946	1207	1469
6	$4330	1135	1448	1762
7	$4749	1255	1600	1948
8	$5168	1434	1829	2226
Each Additional Member	+$420	179	229	278

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[1] These figures include all necessary calculations. For example, for a 1-person household in the 48 States and DC, the maximum net monthly income = $958; standard deduction = $152; maximum shelter deduction = $478. $958 +$152 + $478 = $1588.

Hawaii

Household Size	Disaster Gross Income Limit[1]	Maximum Allotment
1	$1962	330
2	$2347	605
3	$2732	867
4	$3117	1100
5	$3507	1307
6	$3924	1568
7	$4309	1734
8	$4694	1981
Each Additional Member	+$385	248

Guam

Household Size	Disaster Gross Income Limit[1]	Maximum Allotment
1	$1825	$295
2	$2160	$541
3	$2495	$775
4	$2850	$985
5	$3241	$1169
6	$3632	$1403
7	$3967	$1551
8	$4302	$1773
Each Additional Member	+$335	+$222

Virgin Islands

Household Size	Disaster Gross Income Limit[1]	Maximum Allotment
1	$1469	$257
2	$1804	$472
3	$2140	$676
4	$2503	$859
5	$2866	$1020
6	$3229	$1224
7	$3564	$1353
8	$3899	$1546
Each Additional Member	+$335	+$193